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Medical Attendance - National Cadet Corps - Medical Treatment.

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NATIONAL CADET CORPS DIRECTORATE,
(Ministry of Defence),
Government of India,
New Delhi, the 4th January, 1949.

To

All Provincial Governments and
Chief Commissioners.

Subject:- NATIONAL CADET CORPS - MEDICAL TREATMENT.

Sir,

I am directed to state that the Government of India consider that there should be a uniform system throughout the country in regard to the medical treatment of officers and cadets of the National Cadet Corps when they are under training. The Government of India have decided that, during the period any one is attached to a Regular Army unit or formation for training, he should be entitled to medical treatment, like other military personnel, from military sources. In regard to others, that is when officers and Cadets are on training in their own units in civil stations, the government of India consider that the best arrangement would be for them to receive free medical treatment from civil sources available in a particular station. It is hoped that the Provincial Governments etc., will agree and issue necessary orders.

2. As the Provincial Governments are aware, there are a number of Regular Army Personnel (Officer, JCOS and NCos) posted as permanent training staff to Senior Division units of the National Cadet Corps. These Army personnel and their families are entitled to free medical attendance and free medicines and no charges are levied when they are admitted into a military hospital (except that officers and that officers and their families have to pay hospital fees at certain prescribed rates.) It is considered that when such Regular Army personnel and their families are located at stations where military medical facilities are not available, they should receive free medical attendance from Provincial medical officers of the appropriate standing and also be given free medicines. Regular Army Officers and families should also be entitled to treatment in civil hospitals on payment of charges which could be payable if a military hospital. JCOs, NCOs and their families should be treated in civil hospital free of charge just as they would be in a military hospital.

3. The Government of India trust that necessary instructions will be issued by the Provincial Governments etc.,

Yours faithfully,

B.B. Ghosh
Joint Secretary to the Government
of India.

Copy to:-

DFA (AG) - reference his U.O. No. 2870-PD-dated 15th December 1948.

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To

The Joint Secretary to the Government of India,
National Cadet Corps Directorate,
(Ministry of Defence) New Delhi.

Sir,

Sub: National Cadet Corps - Medical Treatment.

Ref: Your letter No. 0010/48/NCC-Dated 4-1-1949.

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With reference to your letter cited, I am directed to state that this Government are agreeable to the proposal of the Government of India that, when officers and cadets of the National Cadet Corps, and undgrgoing training in their own units in civil stations, they may be given free medical treatment from civil sources available in a particular station. As regards the treatment, in civil hospitals (officers, J.C.O.S. and N.C.O.S.) posted as permanent training staff to senior Division units of the National Cadet Corps and their families ~~were~~ located at stations where military medical facilities are not available, I am directed to invite attention to the letter No. 5909/313/DMS 5(c) dated 9-9-1948 from the Government of India, Ministry of Defence (Army Branch) and to state as follows:-

These Regular Army Personnel whether commissioned or non-commissioned and their families will be charged for when admitted in Government hospitals of this province, like the military personnel at the rate of Rs. 9/- per day for patients admitted in 'A' and 'B' class wards and Rs. 4-8-0 per day for patients admitted in 'C' class and general wards. This Government regret that they cannot agree to the proposals the gular Army Offcers and their families should be given treatment in civil hospitals of this Province on payment of charges which could be payable in a of changes which could be payable in a military hospital and that the J.C.O.S., N.C.O.S. and their families should be treated in civil hospitals free of charge just as they would be in a military hospital.

Yours faithfully,

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31.5.49.

Copy to the Surgeon-General.
withreference to his letter R.No. 5308-A/48
dated 28-4-49.
Copy to the Adjustant Ist Madras.
National Cadet Corps Fort St. George.
Copy to the Accountant-General through the Finance.

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